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1. The commentator of station WMCA[i] Norman JAY, henceforth
"BOJKIJ[[ii], has twice sent DEDUShKA[iii] the text of his talks,
which are consistently in a tone extremely friendly to us. We
consider it advisable to profit by this circumstance and to invite
BOJKIJ [C% to a restaurant] and get acquainted in the line of cover
[LINIYa PRIKRYTIYa][a]. Telegraph what you think about BOJKIJ.

2. LEONID[iv] and ALEKSEJ[v] can hand over the "NEIGHBOR's[SOSED]"
[vi] affairs to STEPAN[vii]. Advise when LEONID is to leave for
home and what he can occupy himself with in our line before his
departure. LEONID [3 groups unrecovered]. Are we to turn that
case over to STEPAN?

3. At a meeting in the PLANT[ZAVOD][viii] GRIN[ix] [C% handed]
KALISTRAT[x] a letter in which[,] in the name of the editor of
"NEW MASSES", Joe NORTH[NORS], he asks for financial assistance
to be given to the magazine, which is in a bad way. For the pres-
ent [D% I] [1 group unrecoverable] the reason for so strange a
step on GRIN's part or his appealing to KALISTRAT in particular[.]
Telegraph your opinion and instructions.

No. 320   MAJ[xi]

Note: [a]   LINIYa PRIKRYTIYa: That is to say that the meeting
               would be arranged with a member of the State Security
               organization in his official capacity as a member of
               the Consulate-General.
Comments:
        [i]   Station WMCA is a NEW YORK, N.Y., broadcasting station.
       [ii]   BOJKIJ: i.e. PERKY, Norman JAY.
      [iii]   DEDUShKA: i.e. GRANDPAPA, Evgenij Dmitrievich KISELEV,
               Soviet Consul-General at NEW YORK.
       [iv]   LEONID: Aleksej Nikolaevich PROKhOROV.
        [v]   ALEKSEJ: Anatolij Antonovich YaKOVLEV.
       [vi]   SOSED: Member of another Soviet intelligence organization.
      [vii]   STEPAN: Possibly Pavel Ivanovich FEDOSIMOV.
     [viii]   ZAVOD: The Soviet Consulate-General at NEW YORK, N.Y.
       [ix]   GRIN: If not a cover-name this may possibly refer to
               Abner GREEN, of the American Committee for the Protec-
               tion of Foreign Born.
        [x]   KALISTRAT: i.e. CALISTRATUS, Aleksandr Semenovich FOMIN.
       [xi]   MAJ: i.e. MAY, Pavel Ivanovich FEDOSIMOV.